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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q63062

Werner BLUMENSTOCK

Appln. No.: 09/785,237

Group Art Unit: 2143

Confirmation No.: 4413

Examiner: Alina BOUTAH

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For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND CONTROL UNIT FOR GENERATING A MESSAGE AS E-MAIL VIA INTERNET AND/OR INTRANET

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 16, 2004, please consider the following remarks:

REMARKS

Claims 1-25 are all the claims pending in the application.

In the Office Action dated August 16, 2004, the Examiner requires that Applicant select one of the following groups for prosecution on the merits:

Group A: Claims 1-11, are drawn to systems for generating and email message, classified in **class 709, subclass 206**

Group B: Claims 12-25, are drawn to systems for generating a fault detection message, classified in **class 709, subclass 224**.

In response, Applicant elects Group A, consisting of claims 1-11, without traverse.